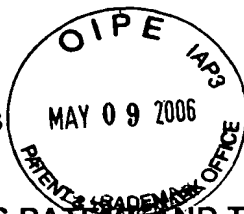


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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment and replacement of drawing sheets for this application.

**FEES**

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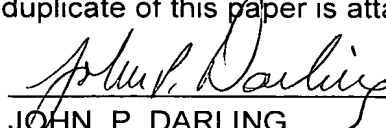
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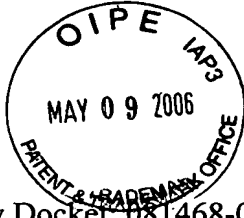
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In reply to the Office Action dated February 9, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: